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Applicant: Wong et al.  
 Title: NETWORK CONNECTIVITY  
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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

Mail Stop Amendment  
 Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

[ X ] Amendment and Reply Under 37 CFR 1.111 (18 pages).

[ X ] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims As Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
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Independent Claims:	3	-	3	=	0	x	\$200.00	=	\$0.00
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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

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**Commissioner for Patents**  
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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated July 21, 2005,  
concerning the above-referenced patent application.

**Amendments to the Abstract** are presented as a new Abstract attached to this document  
for insertion after the claim pages of the application.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this document.

A detailed listing of all claims that are, or were, in the application, irrespective of whether  
the claim(s) remain under examination in the application begins on page 3 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows:

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